R A L P H BILL STATUS May 9, 2001 REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - SENATE

SB 68 C FIELDS VOTERS/VOTING

Provides for notice of reinstatement of voting rights upon completion of sentence for a felony conviction.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 154 HAINKEL CORONERS

Permits, rather than requires, the state to pay supplemental compensation to coroners.

Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 216 CAIN PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT

Creates and establishes a pilot program to determine the cost effectiveness of transferring certain geriatric inmates to private nursing homes.

Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 261 CAMPBELL RAILROADS

Provides for the maintenance of railroad rights-of-way. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Reconsidered.

Made special order of the day No. 1 for 5/15.

SB 314 HEITMEIER INSURERS

Requires health insurers to provide coverage for low protein food products and medical foods for treatment of inherited metabolic diseases.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SB 319 BAJOIE HEALTH CARE

Creates the Access to Mammography Act.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 336 MICHOT JUDGES

Provides for salary of commissioners at 90% of district judge's salary. (gov sig)

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 370 ELLINGTON CIVIL PROCEDURE

Provides for exemplary damages to be awarded at trial. (gov sig)

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 400 MALONE STUDENTS

Includes the parish of Bossier in the truancy and assessment and service center pilot program.

Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 431 MICHOT LIABILITY

Provides that damages shall include any taxes paid by the owner on the property damaged.

Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 442 DARDENNE CIVIL PROCEDURE

Coordinates Code of Evidence with Federal Rules of Evidence. Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 451 BOISSIERE PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEES RET

Provides with respect to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System. (1/1/02)

Read by title and finally passed as amended $37\ \text{yeas}$ and $0\ \text{nays}$. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 456 MICHOT CHILDREN

Provides for child support and child support accountability. Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 460 M SMITH CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES

Permits rather than requires local governing authorities to pay detention centers excess costs for juveniles committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections. (gov sig)

Read by title, amendments adopted, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the committee on ${\tt FINANCE}$.

SB 502 SCHEDLER MEDICAID Authorizes DHH to establish a drug formulatory in the medical assistance drug program. (gov sig) Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 627 MICHOT CONTRACTORS

> Provides relative to exemptions to the residential building contractors licensing law.

Called from the calendar.

Amendments proposed by the House read and rejected, 37 yeas, and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 630 LIABILITY

Provides relative to the effect of failure to use a safety belt with regard to recovery of damages. (gov sig)

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 679 HOLLIS BANKS/BANKING

> Provides for law applicable to certain interstate banking activities.

Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB 687 HEITMEIER ROADS/HIGHWAYS

> Provides for compensating certain property owners affected by the addition of a down ramp exit from the Crescent City Connection Bridge. (gov sig)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 694 HOYT TAX/TAXATION

> Authorizes all Enrolled Agents licensed by the U. S. Department of the Treasury to represent taxpayers in administrative matters.

Read by title and finally passed, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 739 SCHEDLER HOSPITALS

> Changes budget requirements of the health care services division of the LSU Health Sciences Center and the LSU University Hospital in Shreveport.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 757 SCHEDLER MEDICAID

Establishes the Medicaid School-Based Administrative Claiming Trust Fund (gov sig)

Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 762 FUNDS/FUNDING MALONE

Creates the Drought Protection Trust Fund.

Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 781 HINES HEALTH CARE

Provides for the Louisiana Children's Health Insurance Program. (gov sig)

Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 806 CATN WELFARE/WORKFARE

Provides for production and distribution of a booklet to prepare secondary school students for marriage. (gov sig)

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

812 SB SCHEDLER INSURERS

> Regulates Employee Leasing Insurance Organizations. (gov sig) Rules suspended, reported by substitute.

SB 817 FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT BOISSIERE

Increases the allowable amount to be invested in equities by the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT SB 818 BOTSSTERE

> Increases the accural rate of retirement benefits for members with 20 or more years of service.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 819 BOTSSTERE FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Provides benefits payable to members who earn at least thirty

years of service with the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 820 HOYT RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

Creates the Back Deferred Retirement Option Plan "Back DROP". (7/1/01)

Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 843 BOISSIERE FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Removes the age limitation for members with twenty or more years of service for purposes of determining benefits eligibility.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 844 BOISSIERE FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Provides the option of selecting deferred retirement option plan (DROP) participation as well as a later initial lump sum benefit to members of the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 853 MCPHERSON COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES

Recognizes and defines LSU-A as an institution authorized to offer baccalaureate degrees. (gov sig)

Read by title and finally passed as amended 27 yeas and 10 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 855 SCHEDLER EXCEPTIONAL PERSONS

Creates the Disability Services and Supports System Planning Group.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 865 THOMAS LEGISLATION

Voids laws mandating health insurance benefits and options unless periodically reenacted by the legislature.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 870 BOISSIERE FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Creates a varying schedule of accural rates of the retirement benefit for members of Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city iof New Orleans.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 871 BOISSIERE FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Authorizes eligible members to elect to participate in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan on a retroactive basis and receive a lump sum benefit of up to five years based upon the value of the pension at the retroactice date selected.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 872 BOISSIERE FIREFIGHTERS RETIREMENT

Increases the accural rate of the retirement benefit for a member who has thirty years of service with the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the city of New Orleans.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 883 ELLINGTON FUNDS/FUNDING

Establishes the Health Trust Fund. (gov sig)

Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 904 HAINKEL TAX/TAXATION

Increases the charge for attorney fees from when Department of Revenue hires private counsel to collect taxes. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) Read by title as amended and failed to pass 24 yeas and 12 navs.

Notice of reconsideration.

SB 933 DARDENNE CLERKS OF COURT RET

Provides for retirement benefits for court reporters. (7/1/01) Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 950 C ROMERO FISH/FISHING

Reduces the annual non-resident saltwater fishing license from \$50 to \$30.

Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB 970 BAJOIE CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Provides penalties for possession of large quantities of heroin.

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 973 MICHOT ELECTRONICS

Revises certain laws to allow electronic transactions by certain state agencies. (7/1/01)

Read by title and finally passed as amended 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 981 C D JONES PUBLIC UTILITIES

Requires utility companies serving Ouachita Parish Correctional Facility to include their gross receipts before any computation of franchise fees owed the town of Richwood.

Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 992 ULLO JUVENILES

Adds certain judicial districts to the truancy and assessment and service center pilot program.

Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1000 C D JONES STATE EMPLOYEE RET

Authorizes judge to purchase credit for service with Legal Aid Bureau.

Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1007 BEAN PUBLIC RECORDS

Exempts certain records of the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners from the Public Records Law.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SB 1008 CAIN STATE POLICE RET FUND

Provides eligibility criteria for participation in the deferred retirement option plan.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 1009 W FIELDS BANKS/BANKING

Prohibits banks from using fingerprint identification when cashing a check drawn on their bank.

Read by title and failed to pass, 11 yeas and 27 nays. Notice of reconsideration.

SB 1027 CHAISSON COURTS

Authorizes use of certain fees in courts of appeals to be used to defray the expense of employment benefits for court employees, including judges, as directed by the court.

Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 1029 C FIELDS FISCAL CONTROLS

Authorizes the use of deposit guaranty bonds as security for deposits of state funds.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1041 SCHEDLER MUNICIPAL POL EMPS RET

Authorizes members of the Municipal Police Employees'

Retirement System with a vested military benefit to purchase credit for that military service.

Read by title and finally passed, 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1046 ELLINGTON TAX/TAXATION

Requires public service companies to pay protested property taxes in full in order to appeal certain decisions of the tax commission and provides for a credit against future taxes if they win.

Reconsidered.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 22 yeas and 14 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1077 THOMAS UTILITIES

Requires electricity generated in new and additional electric generation facilities constructed after 7/1/01 which use groundwater to offer first to Louisiana buyers. (7/1/01)

Rules suspended, reported by substitute.

SB 1080 DUPRE COURTS

Provides for civil jurisdiction in certain city courts. (gov sig)

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 1101 IRONS CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Provides relative to the crime of loansharking.

Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

SB 1103 MARIONNEAUX CREDIT

Prohibits the unsolicited mailing of credit card applications. Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 1104 B JONES REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Expands the current authority of the secretary of the Department of Revenue to contract with private collection agencies to include in-state uncollectibles. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A)) (gov sig)

Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SR 16 HOYT COMMENDATIONS

Commends former Vermilion Parish Sheriff, Euda Delcambre, on being honored as a "Living Legend".

Enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and sent to the Secretary of State.

SR 18 DARDENNE LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS

Recognizes Monday, May 7, 2001 as Louisiana Legislative Fitness Day.

Enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and sent to the Secretary of State. $\,$

SR 20 BARHAM COMMENDATIONS

Commends singer Tim McGraw on his receiving an honorary doctorate degree from the University of Louisiana at Monroe for his many humanitarian achievements.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

SR 21 C FIELDS COMMENDATIONS

Commends Reverend Samuel C. Tolbert, Jr. on his seventeen years of service as pastor of St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church.
Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

SCR 10 C D JONES HEALTH CARE

Requests DHH to establish additional incentives to encourage physicians to enroll in the Medicaid program to improve access to health care for Medicaid eligible recipients.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SCR 75 GAUTREAUX INDIAN AFFAIRS

Recognizes three tribes in Louisiana as Indian tirbes and recognizes a confederation of Indian tribes.

Read by title, adopted by the vote of 35 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

SCR 76 THOMAS CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of former two-term state representative Tyrus Cobb "TY COBB" Lanier.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 77 W FIELDS COMMENDATIONS

Expresses support of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.'s "Voter Education and Registration Campaign 2001."

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 78 C D JONES COMMENDATIONS

Commends Chancellor B.K. Agnihotri of Southern University Law Center on being selected to receive the YWCA Racial Justice Award.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 80 ELLINGTON COMMENDATIONS

Commends and congratulates Chris Shivers on his numerous accomplishments as a professional bull rider.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 81 W FIELDS LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS

Proclaims the week of Oct. 7-13, 2001 as Alpha Phi Alpha

Fraternity, Inc.'s "Project Alpha Week".

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 82 W FIELDS COMMENDATIONS

Expresses support of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated in its efforts to improve voting systems and address the results of the 2000 census as it applies to the redistricting. Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 83 W FIELDS COMMENDATIONS

Commends the members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated for their devoted service to promoting Buckle-Up America, a partnership with the National Transportation Safety Board to promote seat belt safety.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 85 DARDENNE CONDOLENCES

Offers the condolences of the legislature to the family of Charles William "Bill" Roberts.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 86 W FIELDS LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS

Proclaims Wednesday, May 2, 2001, as Alpha Day at the Legislature.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 87 BARHAM COMMENDATIONS

Commends Louisiana State University School of Veterinary Medicine.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 88 BAJOIE COMMENDATIONS

Commends Elisha "Tack" Jackson on being appointed the East Baton Rouge Parish High School Principal of the Year. Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 89 BAJOIE COMMENDATIONS

Commends Sherman Washington and the Zion Harmonizers. Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 90 BAJOIE COMMENDATIONS

Commends the "Meters" for their contribution in defining New Orleans funk and on receiving the 2001 Premier Players Governors Award.

Sent to the Secretary of State.

SCR 93 DARDENNE CONDOLENCES

Offers the condolences of the legislature to the family of Carlos ${\tt G.}$ Spaht.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 94 SCHEDLER HEALTH CARE

Requests DHH, LSU Health Sciences Center-Health Care Services Division, and the University Hospitals at Shreveport to study and make recommendations on a common acute care hospital payment methodology.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SCR 95 DUPRE COMMITTEE STUDIES

Requests study of the manner in which presidential electors are elected.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SCR 98 CAMPBELL COMMENDATIONS

Commends the Louisiana Nursing Home Association and Hospice Care of Louisiana on their efforts to provide medical equipment, supplies, and funding for the hospice care program at Louisiana State Penitentiary at Angola.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 101 C D JONES COMMITTEE STUDIES

Directs joint study of the need for the division of administrative law to conduct all administrative hearings.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SCR 102 C D JONES JOINT RULES

Requires that all legislative instruments which provide mandatory minimum or maximum prison sentences have attached an economic impact statement prior to committee consideration.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SCR 108 THEUNISSEN COMMENDATIONS

Recognizes and commends J. Jacob Landry on being honored as the Louisiana High School Student of the Year.

Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended,

adopted by the vote of 32 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the

SCR 109 BARHAM COMMENDATIONS

Commends former Senate Staff Attorney, Kevin Hayes, for being named the Outstanding Young Lawyer of 2001 by the Louisiana State Bar Association.

Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 31 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

HB 12 PITRE POLITICAL PARTIES

Clarifies that certain members of the parish executive committee of a recognized political party are elected from parish governing authority districts or wards

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 18 BRUNEAU GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

Provides for appointment, in lieu of election, of commissioner of elections; merges and consolidates office of commission of elections with office of secretary of state and Dept. of Elections and Registration with the Dept. of State

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

HB 20 BRUNEAU CIVIL/VENUE

Provides relative to venue for a foreign corporation or limited liability company

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 21 BRUNEAU CIVIL/PROCEDURE

Provides for the effective period for judgments of eviction Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 22 J R SMITH JUDGES

Provides for an additional judgeship in the 30th Judicial District

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 23 BRUNEAU ELECTION CODE

With regard to the qualifications of candidates, requires that a candidate meet residency or domicile requirements at the time of qualifying

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 53 BRUNEAU APPROPRIATIONS/LEGAL EXP

Provides requirements for payment or reimbursement of legal expenses of state officials and employees

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 80 ANSARDI COURTS/PARISH

HB

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Increases the jurisdictional amounts in civil actions in the First and Second Parish Courts of Jefferson Parish Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

KATZ ELECTION CODE

Relative to when a qualified voter may cast a ballot in person, changes poll hours, expands absentee voting period, allows qualified voters to vote absentee in person, and expands locations for absentee voting

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 97 BRUNEAU RETIREMENT/JUDGES

Allows certain judges who are still in active service in the Judges' Noncontributory Plan to retire subject to early retirement provisions previously made available to certain judges

Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 102 MURRAY COURTS/DISTRICT

Provides for additional salary of chief judges of district courts

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 121 MORRISH COURTS/MAYORS

Authorizes additional court costs in the mayor's court in the town of Elton

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 123 ALARIO COURTS/MAYORS

Authorizes probation in mayors' courts

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB 138 FARRAR COURTS/CITY
 Provides for additional fees in criminal matters in the city court of Pineville
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 150 R ALEXANDER CLERKS OF COURT

 Provides for a branch office of the clerk of court in Bienville

 Parish

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 167 FAUCHEUX AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS
 Increases the maximum annual grant amount an airport can receive from the General Aviation and Reliever Airport
 Maintenance Grant Program under certain circumstances
 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HB 172 FRITH CLERKS OF COURT

 Requires the clerk of court in Vermilion Parish to assess an additional fee for battered women's shelters

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 180 ODINET SCHOOLS/BOARDS

 Requires a school board to reapportion itself under certain circumstances

 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 217 BROOME SUNSET LAW

 Re-creates the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism

 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 225 CROWE COURTS/CITY

 Requires the clerk of the City Court of Slidell to pay off-duty witness fees to subpoenaed law enforcement officers

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 239 WADDELL ELECTIONS/CANDIDATES

 Provides with respect to the procedure for qualifying to become a candidate in a primary election

 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 253 CROWE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

 Extends deadline for nonpublic high schools to be approved by BESE and to have applied for eligibility for certain state funds in order for graduates to be eligible for a TOPS award Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.
- HB 264 HAMMETT TAX/INSURANCE PREMIUM
 Authorizes local governments to contract with the Louisiana
 Municipal Advisory and Technical Services Bureau for the
 collection of the local insurance premium license tax
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 274 MARTINY JUDGES
 Authorizes the submission of recommendations of the Judicial
 Compensation Commission in sessions held in odd-numbered years
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 284 SCHNEIDER INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE

 Requires certain out-of-state vehicles to be covered by liability insurance

 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 341 DURAND CHILDREN/SUPPORT

 Extends the child support obligation to certain majors

 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 347 McDONALD STATE SYMBOL
 Adopts an official state tartan
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 350 MURRAY CLERKS OF COURT

 Authorizes the clerk of court for the Criminal District Court
 for the Parish of Orleans to sign subpoenas electronically
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 351 PITRE CAMPAIGN FINANCE
 Allows for a political party parish executive committee to

accept donations and conduct fund raising and expend those funds for certain purposes

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 363 CROWE PROBATION

Creates the Sex Offender Registry Technology Fund Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

HB 402 FLAVIN ARCHITECTS

Increases certain fees for licensed architects Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 403 FLAVIN ARCHITECTS

Revises the membership of the State Board of Architectural Examiners

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 484 THOMPSON PUBLIC RECORDS

Provides that photographs, video, or other visual images in whatever form, of or relating to an autopsy conducted by the office of the coroner are confidential, not public records, and not to be released except as specified

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 533 ANSARDI COURTS/MAYORS

Authorizes the clerk of court to use an electronic signature, stamp, or other such facsimile of the prosecuting attorney's signature to sign the bills of information for the mayor's court in the city of Kenner

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 534 ANSARDI COURTS/MAYORS

Requires the city council of the city of Kenner to appoint one or more attorneys as court magistrates for the mayor's court in the city of Kenner

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 535 ANSARDI COURTS/MAYORS

Creates the office of animal hearing officer of the mayor's court of the city of Kenner

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 537 BRUNEAU RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS

Provides that the employees of the New Orleans City Park Improvement Association are not eligible to be members of the system

HB 604 DEVILLIER CRIME/RAPE

Includes oral sexual intercourse in the crime of rape Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 631 McMAINS INSURERS

Provides for the keeping of books, records, and securities of domestic insurers

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on INSURANCE.

HB 654 HUDSON CHILDREN

Establishes a program for biennial issuance of special identification cards for children under the age of sixteen Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 658 MURRAY COMMERCE

Adds and revises provisions relative to the regulation of antique dealers

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

HB 665 ODINET DWI

Requires inpatient substance abuse treatment and home incarceration for certain DWI offenders

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 683 MURRAY CRIME/BURGLARY

Provides that the crime of simple burglary includes the unauthorized entering of any cemetery with the intent to commit

- a felony or any theft therein
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 686 DEVILLIER CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE

 Authorizes investigators employed by the attorney general to serve subpoenas in criminal cases

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 725 McCALLUM CLERKS OF COURT
 Authorizes the clerks of court of the Third Judicial District
 to assess additional fees in traffic cases
 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
 second time by title and referred to the committee on
 JUDICIARY B.
- HB 727 FLAVIN COURTS/CITY
 Authorizes the City Court of Lake Charles to transfer unclaimed surplus fees and costs to the general operational fund of the court

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 752 DEVILLIER CRIME/RAPE
 Provides for requirements of simple rape when intoxicants administered
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 798 DONELON EMPLOYMENT/AGENCIES

 Repeals provisions of law that provide for the regulation of employment agencies by the Department of Labor Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.
- HB 830 JOHNS INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID

 Provides relative to individual health insurance coverage, including allowing certain exclusions

 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 833 MARTINY CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
 Provides for funding of rewards paid by crime stoppers organizations
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 885 LEBLANC LEGISLATIVE BUDG CONTROL

 Adds the chairman of the House Appropriations Committee and the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee to the membership of the Legislative Budgetary Control Council

 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 887 DEVILLIER CRIMINAL/PLEAS
 Provides for the acceptance of plea of guilty and nolo contendere in misdemeanors and felonies
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 889 WINSTON CHILDREN/ADOPTION
 Requires the state to agree in all adoption contracts to provide for future in-hospital mental health care for children formerly in state custody who have been adopted
 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 905

 DEVILLIER SHERIFFS

 Provides for group health and life insurance coverage for retired sheriffs and deputies in Assumption Parish, but excludes their dependants

 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.
- HB 914 DANIEL RETIREMENT/TEACHERS

 Creates an alternative contribution plan

 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 972 MARTINY CRIME/OBSCENITY

 Makes criminal obscenity applicable to activity in a prison or jail

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 979 MURRAY CHILDREN/SUPPORT
 Requires case numbers on certain payments collected pursuant to income assignment orders

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1023 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/OFF ROAD

Removes requirement of permit for certain off-road vehicle travel

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1049 MURRAY PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE

Provides relative to the acquisition of blighted property by acquisitive prescription $\ \ \,$

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1075 DEWITT TAX/SALES-USE-EXEMPT

Excludes certain telephone directories from local taxes Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 1093 DEVILLIER WORKERS COMPENSATION

Forfeiture of benefits if an employee provides false information

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

HB 1095 CLARKSON REAL ESTATE

Relative to contracts of lease and sale of immovable property Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1102 LEBLANC CRIME/THEFT

Provides that the crime of issuing worthless checks shall apply to certain worthless checks issued to the state

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1121 PITRE WORKERS COMPENSATION

Terminates benefits upon an injured employees' failure to comply with his employer's substance abuse policy
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

HB 1170 FUTRELL TRAFFIC/VIOLATIONS

Removes certain prohibitions for reporting unpaid traffic fines and parking violations to collection agencies

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1197 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/COMPULS INS

Provides relative to reporting cancellations of motor vehicle liability security

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1229 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC

Provides relative to the scope of the hearing following suspension of driver's license for certain violations Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1238 PINAC FINANCIAL INSTNS COMMR

Changes the filing fee for transfer of fiduciary account agreements

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

HB 1242 BRUNEAU PARDON/PAROLE

Provides with respect to the duration of intensive incarceration and parole supervision of persons held by sheriffs in eligible parishes

Read by title, recommitted to the Committee on FINANCE.

HB 1252 MORRISH INSURANCE/LIFE

Provides for group life insurance coverage of spouses and children of insured employees

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1281 CLARKSON REAL ESTATE/REALTORS
Prohibits certain solicitations of referral fees and

interference with brokerage relationships

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 1287 HOLDEN BONDS/REVENUE

Provides relative to the issuance of revenue bonds on behalf of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.

HB 1324 ERDEY INSURERS

Provides for the signature requirements on the annual reports of insurers

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1328 ERDEY INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Changes the name of the office of insurance rating in the Department of Insurance

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1340 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/TEACHERS

Repeals all "reemployment of retiree" laws and replaces them with one law allowing full salary and full benefits after the lapse of a 12 month waiting period

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on RETIREMENT.

HB 1431 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

Provides relative to the membership and voting requirements of the Public Retirement Systems Actuarial Committee

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1471 WINSTON CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE

Provides with respect to the release of certain information Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1479 DONELON INSURANCE/HEALTH-ACCID

Revises rating limitations for individual and small group health insurance coverage

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 1498 ANSARDI INSURANCE/POLICIES

Establishes standards for stop-loss or excess policies of insurance

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1520 PINAC CREDIT/CONSUMER

Relative to notification fees

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on ${\tt COMMERCE}$.

HB 1533 DANIEL FIRE PROTECTION

Provides for the licensure of single state fire alarm contracting

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on COMMERCE.

HB 1551 DIEZ MOTOR VEHICLES

Provides relative to reports submitted to the office of motor vehicles following a motor vehicle accident

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1590 RICHMOND INSURERS/AGENTS

Prohibits acceptance of an application for coverage under a Medicare+Choice plan unless certain requirements are met Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1627 ERDEY INSURERS

Provides relative to certificates of authority of foreign or alien insurers

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 1630 ERDEY INSURANCE/HMO

Changes the penalty for an $\ensuremath{\mathsf{HMO's}}$ late filing of its annual statement

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1634 BRUCE CRIME

Provides for the collection of court costs on nomoving traffic violations in parishes included in the Louisiana Criminalistics

Laboratory

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1686 BROOME PARKS/STATE

Repeals provisions relative to certain camping fee exemptions Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

HB 1692 TRICHE FISHING

Designates the spotted sea trout as the official state saltwater fish.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1697 ERDEY INSURERS

Revises penalties for delinquent filing of annual premium reports or delinquent payment of license taxes by insurers Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1745 MURRAY INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Provides for additional minority representation on the list of nominees who may be appointed by the governor to the Advisory Committee on Equal Opportunity

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1754 ERDEY INSURANCE/RATES

Provides for rate reduction in automobile insurance for completion of defensive driving courses
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1772 DONELON INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Provides for fees for the Department of Insurance Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 1785 GREEN COURTS/COMMISSIONERS

Provides for the salaries of the commissioners of the Criminal District Court of Orleans $\,$

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

HB 1786 TUCKER CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE

Authorizes prosecutors to introduce evidence of the impact of the crime on the victim in sentencing phase of capital rape

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1788 RIDDLE SUCCESSIONS

Requires the judgment of possession to include the address of at Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 1793 RIDDLE PROPERTY/COMMUNITY

Provides for the allocation or assignment of community property interests in pension or retirement plans

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 1796 FRUGE ETHICS/CODE

Provides for an exception to the ethics code to allow a public servant, legal entity in which he has a controlling interest, or member of his immediate family to donate services, property, or funds to such public servant's agency

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 1798 FRUGE CIVIL/PROCEDURE

Provides for the disclosure of certain medical documents
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and
second time by title and referred to the committee on
JUDICIARY A.

HB 1800 CROWE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

Relative to TOPS, provides eligibility for TOPS-Tech and Opportunity awards for certain students who graduate from high schools or complete home study programs outside the U.S. and its territories

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

HB 1829 MURRAY JUDGES/APPELLATE

Extends the term of a judge of the 4th Circuit Court of Appeal Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 1845 PRATT MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES

Creates the Delta SigmaTheta Sorority prestige license plate Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1858 BROOME CULTURE/REC/TOUR

Provides relative to conservation of archaeological resources on state lands

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

HB 1865 TUCKER LOCAL FINANCE

Provides relative to sales tax increment financing of economic development projects in certain parishes

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 1872 DEVILLIER CRIME/ASSAULT

Provides with respect to aggravated assault with a firearm (Substitute for HB685)

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1890 KENNARD FIRE PROTECTION

Provides relative to fire ground authority over all fire safety personnel and other persons at emergency scenes

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 1927 NEVERS INDIGENT DEFENSE

Increases the exemptions for paying court costs to the indigent defender fund

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY B.

HB 1945 MARTINY STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

Permits certain high school students completing honors courses and having a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 to qualify for TOPS Performance Awards under specified circumstances

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

HB 1967 ANSARDI MUNICIPALITIES

Authorizes the designee of the mayor, within certain municipalities, to sign documents relative to domolition, removal, repair, or maintenance of dangerous structures and grass cutting, destruction, or removal of noxious weeds on priva Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 1971 G SMITH SALES/CIGARETTES

Prohibits any person to sell, distribute, own, transport or possess cigarettes that do not comply with federal law and regulations

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

HB 2043 DONELON INSURERS/AGENTS

Creates specialty limited lines credit insurance licenses Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HCR 5 DOWNER MEMORIALS

Urges and requests Congress to urge the United States Postal Service to issue a Purple Heart Stamp
Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HCR 15 CROWE SCHOOLS/CLASS SIZE

Encourges local public school boards to reduce fourth and eighth grade class sizes to a maximum of 20 students and requests BESE to revise LEAP 21 policies to encourage such reduction

Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR 42 FLAVIN TRESPASS/CRIMINAL

Creates a task force to study the criminal trespass laws and to report its findings to the Louisiana Legislature
Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

HCR 74 BROOME CIVIL RIGHTS

Provides relative to racism and education about racism Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on EDUCATION.

HCR 94 LANDRIEU JUVENILES

Creates the Joint Legislative Juvenile Justice Commission and the Ad Hoc Juvenile Justice Advisory Board

Received in the Senate. Rules suspended read first and second time by title and referred to the committee on JUDICIARY C.

HCR 131 MORRISH COMMENDATIONS

Commends Jacob Landry upon being named Louisiana High School Student of the Year

Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR 132 E ALEXANDER COMMENDATIONS

Commends Brady Scott Higginbotham upon being named Louisiana Elementary Student of the Year

Signed by the President of the Senate.

HCR 133 E ALEXANDER COMMENDATIONS

Commends Philip Cortese upon being named Louisiana Middle School Student of the Year

Signed by the President of the Senate.